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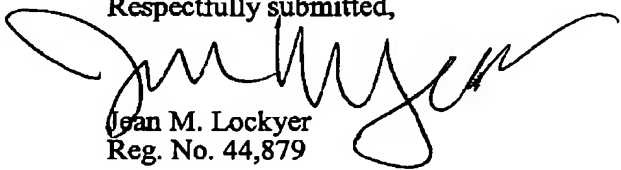
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Sir:

This request is in response to the Decision Refusing Status Under 37 CFR 1.47(a) dated February 2, 2005. The Decision indicated that a proper reply could include an oath or declaration executed by the non-signing inventor. Enclosed herewith is the executed Declaration For Utility or Design Application Using An Application Data Sheet now signed by the previously non-signing inventor, John E. Blume.

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